

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For: METHOD FOR SELECTING A REDUCED-TANTALUM SUPERALLOY (amended)

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Sir:

This Paper is filed in response to the Final Office Action dated June 18, 2007.  
Remarks begin on page 5 of this Response; reconsideration is respectfully requested.